

**SUMMARY OF THE MINUTES OF THE COTTONWOOD
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION
April 26, 2011**

Present:

Doug Hulse, Chairperson
Bill Bowden
Dennis Burke
Ron Hollis
Carol Nielsen
Ann Shaw

Absent:

Nathaniel Munn, Jr.

Also Present:

Richard Faust, Community Services General Manager
Robin Babbitt, Administrative Coordinator, Parks and Recreation

CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Hulse called the meeting to order at 5:02 pm at the Cottonwood Recreation Center Conference Room.

MINUTES – MARCH 22, 2011 REGULAR MEETING

Commissioner Hulse asked for consideration of the minutes from the March 22, 2011 regular meeting. Commissioner Bowden motioned to approve the minutes as written. Commissioner Nielsen seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

A. MONTHLY REPORT INFORMATION FOR MARCH 2011

Mr. Faust asked if there were any questions on the monthly report for March. Hearing none, he reviewed the revenues for the recreation center and the Brian Mickelsen Memorial running event.

B. RECREATION CENTER MONTHLY UTILITY USE AND ANALYSIS THROUGH MARCH 2011

Mr. Faust reviewed the utility figures for electricity, gas, water and sewer through March.

NEW BUSINESS

A. DISCUSSION – MICKELSEN HALF MARATHON (FUTURE POTENTIAL)

Mr. Faust reported on the success of the April 16 event and stated that Ryan Bigelow, Recreation Center Program Manager organized the event. They were grateful for the help they received from the fire, police and public works departments. With the success of this race and the fact that the Sedona Marathon is not continuing, they are researching the potential to hold a marathon in conjunction with the half marathon. Staff has already developed a draft course along Sycamore Canyon Road. The director and commissioners discussed this opportunity further.

B. RECREATION CENTER MEMBERSHIP DRIVE/ONE YEAR ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION – APRIL 30, 2011

Mr. Faust reviewed the plans and expectations for the Cottonwood Recreation Center's anniversary celebration and encouraged the commissioners to spread this information to the public.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Bowden motioned to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Nielsen seconded the motion. Meeting was adjourned at 5:54 pm.